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of the town of

DEERING

NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Year Ending

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OF THE

RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURES

OF THE

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FOR THE

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Together with the

REPORT OF

THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR

AND SCHOOL BOARD

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator
CARLTON M. SHERWOOD

Selectmen
ROSCOE S. PUTNAM ARTHUR O. ELLSWORTH
ERNEST JOHNSON

Town Clerk
MARGUERITE L. DUTTON

Town Treasurer
MARGUERITE L. DUTTON

Overseer of the Poor
ARTHUR O. ELLSWORTH

Highway Agent
WINNIATT K. GRIFFITHS

Supervisors
ARNOLD K. ELLSWORTH ROBERT LAWSON
CHESTER M. DURRELL

Tax Collector
JOSEPH M. CAREW

Auditors
MARJORIE A. HOLDEN EUNICE E. WILLGEROTH

Ballot Inspectors
ARTHUR H. JACQUES LOUIS J. FISHER
MARY K. GRIFFITHS GLADYS A. ELLSWORTH

Library Trustees
MARY B. HOLDEN CHARLOTTE K. HOLMES
CLARA T. RICH

Trustees of the Trust Fund
MABEL R. WOOD GLADYS A. ELLSWORTH
CHARLOTTE K. HOLMES

Chief of Police
WILLIAM J. DUMAIS

Constable
GORDON B. RICH

Forest Fire Warden
RODNEY L. GILBERT

REPORT OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING DEERING, N. H., MARCH 11, 1947

A legal meeting of the inhabitants of Deering, N. H., was called to order at 10:45 in the forenoon by the Moderator, Carlton M. Sherwood. The warrant was read.

An explanation of the delay in receiving the town reports due to printing difficulties was made by Arthur O. Ellsworth. It was voted to act on Article 2 through 19 at once.

Article 1. Ballots were cast for all officers on the Austrailian ballot as folows:

Selectman for 2 years: Chester M. Durrell had 10 votes, Leroy H. Locke had 36 votes, Roscoe S. Putnam had 50 votes and took oath of office.

Selectman for 3 years: Chester M. Durrell had 2 votes, Arthur O. Ellsworth had 92 votes and took oath of office.

For Town Clerk: Mabel R. Wood had 3 votes, Marguerite L. Dutton had 87 votes and took oath of office.

For Town Treasurer: Mabel R. Wood had 3 votes, Marguerite L. Dutton had 87 votes and took oath of office.

For Overseer of Poor: Arthur O. Ellsworth had 91 votes and took oath of office.

For Tax Collector: Mabel R. Wood had 39 votes, Joseph Carew had 55 votes and took oath of office.

For Road Agent: Howard E. Whitney had 2 votes, Bernie Pierce had 38 votes, Winniatt K. Griffiths had 59 votes and took oath of office.

Auditors: Marjorie A. Holden had 86 votes and took oath of office. Eunice E. Willgeroth had 90 votes and took oath of of office.

Library Trustee: Hazel Putnam had 29 votes, Charlotte Holmes had 58 votes and took oath of office.

Trustee of Trust Funds: Gladys Ellsworth had 91 votes and took oath of office.

Chief of Police: William J. Dumais had 60 votes and took oath of office.

Constable: Gordon Rich had 87 votes and took oath of office.

Surveyor of Wood and Lumber: Everett H. Abbot had 40 votes, Ernest Johnson had 48 votes and took oath of office.

Article 2. Upon motion made by Ernest Johnson it was voted to raise $2,000 to defray town charges.

Article 3. Upon motion made by Ernest Johnson it was voted to raise $3,000 for roads ($2,000 for winter—$1,000 for summer).

Article 4. Upon motion made by Arthur O. Ellsworth it was voted to raise $300 for interest and insurance.

Article 5. Upon motion made by Ernest Johnson it was voted to raise $250 for P.W.A. Bond.

Article 6. Upon motion made by Ernest Johnson it was voted to raise $300 for street lights.

Article 7. Upon motion made by Arthur O. Ellsworth it was voted to raise $300 for Blister Rust Control.

Article 8. Upon motion made by Marie Wells it was voted to raise $40 for the Monadnock Region.

Article 9. Upon motion made by Arthur O. Ellsworth it was voted to raise $900 for Old Age Assistance.

Article 10. After a motion made to raise $2,200 for a truck it was voted in affirmative after a lengthy discussion.

Article 11. It was voted to authorize the selectmen to borrow money on short term notes in anticipation of taxes.

Article 12. It was voted to authorize selectmen to deliver inventory blanks when assessing.

Article 13. Upon motion made by Ernest Johnson it was voted to raise $644 for T.R.A.

Article 14. It was voted to raise $50 for Old Home Day.

Article 15. A motion was made by Jesse Griffen that selectmen be authorized to ask for bids. An amendment to this was made by Rev. Charles Reidt that selectmen be em-

powered to take action in regard to securing water for town hall and to use an amount not exceeding $1,000. It was voted on favorably.

Article 16. Upon motion made by Arthur O. Ellsworth it was voted that town labor be paid 80c an hour with the exception of the road agent who is to receive $1.00. Upon motion made by Ernest Johnson it was voted to pay the moderator $10 as salary—this amount to include traveling expenses.

Upon motion made by Arthuo O. Ellsworth it was voted to pay the tax collector a yearly salary of $175.

Upon motion made by Arthur O. Ellsworth it was voted that the town clerk and treasurer receive $175 exclusive of fees.

Article 17. A motion was made by Hobart Kiblin that a committee of two be appointed to serve with selectmen while re-assessing property. It was not a vote.

Upon motion made by Chester McNally it was voted that selectmen use their best judgement in assessing property; so that the town's tax rate will compare favorably with that of surrounding towns and make it lower.

There was a favorable vote to an amendment made by W. K. Griffiths that the selectmen may employ assistance in assessing timber.

Article 18. Upon motion made by Marie Wells it was voted to accept report of trustees, to let trustees pay for repairs to cemetery and to discuss the article.

Article 19. A suggestion made by Joseph Carew that the selectmen erect a sign in the Square at Hillsboro indicating the direction of Deering Center.

It was voted to accept resolution read by Rev. Charles Reidt in regard to improving the Deering-Weare Road.

It was also voted to accept suggestion made by Arthur O. Ellsworth that copies of resolution be sent to the Governor and his Council, the Tax Commission and the Town Clerk.

Upon motion made by Stewart Cooper it was voted to increase the amount of insurance on the town buildings.

It was voted to adjourn without date.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE L. DUTTON

Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Deering, in the County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Deering, on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to repair highways and bridges reserving 50% for winter roads.

4. To see if the Town will raise the sum of $400 for interest and insurance.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $250 to cover long term P.W.A. Bonds.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $300 for street lights.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $300 for Blister Rust Control or pass any vote relating thereto.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise $48 for the Monadnock Region Association.

9. To see if the Town will vote to sell or trade the Mack Truck and purchase a small tractor.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise $1,000 for Old Age Assistance and Town Poor.

11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to deliver inventory blanks to residents when assessing.

12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money on short term notes in anticipation of taxes.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $650 for T.R.A. money.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise $50 towards expenses of Old Home Day.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-second day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

ERNEST JOHNSON

ROSCOE S. PUTNAM

ARTHUR O. ELLSWORTH

Selectmen of Deering

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ERNEST JOHNSON

ROSCOE S. PUTNAM

ARTHUR O. ELLSWORTH

Selectmen of Deering

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF DEERING, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948 Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1947	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1948
FROM STATE:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	$641.40	$641.40
Railroad Tax	19.77	19.77
Savings Bank Tax	48.31	48.31
Reimbursement a|c State and Federal forest lands	14.59	14.59
Reimbursement a|c Old Age Assistance	68.75	108.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:		
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	17.55	17.55
Income of Telephone	6.03	
Refund of Hospital Bill	123.50	
Refund	7.12	
INCOME FROM MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITIES:		
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	611.48	600.00
Sale of Town Property	100.00	
WITHDRAWALS FROM CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS:		
Dog licenses	135.44	135.00
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:		
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2	826.90	820.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	312.00	304.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	$2,932.84	$2,688.62
AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES		18,455.38
TOTAL REVENUES		$21,144.00

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BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF DEERING, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948 Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year Janaury 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expend. Previous 1947	Estimated Expend. Ensuing 1948
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:		
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:		
Town Officers' Salaries	$1,108.30	$1,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	481.90	500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	128.51	300.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Bldgs.	88.74	130.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:		
Police Department	40.02	50.00
Fire Department	219.27	200.00
Moth Extermination—Blister Rust	300.00	300.00
HEALTH:		
Vital Statistics	19.00	20.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:		
Town Maintenance: Summer	1,000.00	1,500.00
Town Maintenance: Winter	3,049.81	3,000.00
Street Lighting	300.19	300.00
Town Road Aid: TRA	664.50	665.00
LIBRARIES:	21.30	22.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:		
Town Poor	302.98	300.00
Old Age Assistance	719.02	700.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:		
Old Home Day	50.00	50.00
UNCLASSIFIED:		
Insurance and Abatements		325.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	40.00	40.00
INTEREST:		
On Temporary Loans	92.92	100.00
On Bonded Debt	80.00	75.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:	739.92	
Water Works Construction: Digging Well		
New Equipment	2,200.00	
PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT:		
(a) Bonds PWA	250.00	250.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:		
County Taxes	2,117.67	2,117.00
Payments to School Districts	2,028.35	9,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$23,346.93	$21,144.00

INVENTORY OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY, 1947

Polls 188	$376.00
Resident Real Estate	189,040.00
Resident Growing Wood and Lumber	27,025.00
Non-Resident Real Estate	145,825.00
Non-Resident Growing Wood and Lumber	31,250.00
Electric Lines	56,910.00
5 Gas Pumps	200.00
50 Horses	5,750.00
2 Oxen	400.00
2 Mules	150.00
129 Cows	15,675.00
33 Neat Stock	2,735.00
23 Sheep	230.00
3,775 Fowl	4,585.00
2 Portable Saw Mills	2,500.00
Wood and Lumber	17,850.00
	$500,125.00
Less Soldiers' Exemptions	14,085.00
Total Valuation	$486,040.00

TAXES ASSESSED IN TOWN OF DEERING
1947

County Tax	$2,117.67
Town Charges	2,000.00
Highways and Bridges	3,000.00
Interest and Insurance	300.00
P. W. A. Bond	250.00
Street Lights	300.00
Blister Rust	300.00
Monadnock Region	40.00
Old Age and Town Poor	900.00
Ford Truck	2,200.00
T. R. A.	664.50
Old Home Day	50.00
Library Tax	21.30
School Tax	9,105.83
	$21,249.30
Less Cash and Revenue	2,794.12
	$18,455.18
Less 188 Polls	376.00
	$18,079.18
Plus Overlay	390.34
	$18,469.52
Plus Polls	376.00
	$18,845.52

Tax Rate $3.80

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1947

	Appropriation	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Salaries	$900.00	$1,108.30		$208.30
Town Hall and Buildings	500.00	481.90	$18.10	
Election and Registration	150.00	128.51	21.49	
Town Officers' Expenses	100.00	88.74	11.26	
Police Department	100.00	40.02	59.98	19.27
Fire Department	200.00	219.27		
Vital Statistics	50.00	19.00	31.00	
Town Maintenance	3,000.00	4,049.81		1,049.81
Street Lights	300.00	300.19		.19
Old Age Assistance	700.00	719.02		19.02
Town Poor	200.00	302.98		102.98
Interest and Insurance				542.83
Abatements	300.00	841.82		
Library	21.30	21.30		
Town Road Aid	664.50	664.50		
Old Home Day	50.00	50.00		
Monadnock Region	40.00	40.00		
Digging Well		739.92		
Blister Rust	300.00	300.00		
New Equipment	2,200.00	2,835.62		635.62
Schools	9,105.83	8,028.35	1,077.84	
P. W. A. Bond	250.00	250.00		
County Tax	2,117.67	2,117.67		
	$21,949.30	$23,346.93	$1,219.67	$3,317.94

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN

OF DEERING

Fiscal Year Ended December December 31, 1947

ASSETS

Cash:		
In hands of treasurer	$5,552.29	
Accounts Due to the Town:		
(a) Joint Highway Construc'n Accounts, Unexpended Bal. in State Treasury	5.64	
(b) Bounties	108.00	
Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax-sale on account of)		
(b) Levy of 1946	250.40	
(c) Levy of 1945	48.00	
Uncollected Taxes:		
(a) Levy of 1947	893.00	
Total Assets		$6,855.33
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)		1,500.50
Grand Total		$8,355.83
Net Debt—December 31, 1947		$1,500.50

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Due to School Districts:		
(b) Balance of Appropriation	$6,605.83	
Bonds Outsanding	1,750.00	
Total Liabilities		$8,355.83
Grand Total		$8,355.83

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:			
From Local Taxes: (Collected and remitted to Treasurer)			
1. Property Taxes—Current Year	$17,512.68		
2. Poll Taxes—Current Year—Regular @ $2.52	304.00		
4. Total of Current Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted		$17,816.68	
5. Property Taxes—Previous Years		826.90	
6. Poll Taxes—Previous Years—Regular @ $2		8.00	
8. Interest Received on Taxes		1.80	
9. Interest on Back Taxes		15.75	
From State:			
10. For Highways and Bridges: (a) For Class V Highway maintenance	3,154.20		
11. Interest and Dividend Tax	641.40		
12. Railroad Tax	19.77		
13. Savings Bank Tax	48.31		
15. Reimbursement a|c State and Federal Forest Lands	14.59		
18. Bounties	66.00		
19. Reimbursement a|c Old Age Assistance	2.75		
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:			
22. Dog Licenses	135.44		
23. Business Licenses, Refund on Hospital Bill	123.50		
25. Rent of Town Property, Telephone	6.03		
26. Interest Received on Deposits, Insurance Refund	7.12		
30. Registration of Motor Vehicle, 1947 Permits	597.38		
Registration of Motor Vehicles, 1948 Permits	14.10		
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:			
31. Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes during Year	6,000.00		
35. Refunds, Abatements	29.64		

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37. Trust Funds	200.00	
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		$6,329.64
Total Receipts from all Sources:		29,829.36
Cash on Hand January 1, 1947		8,332.06
Grand Total		$38,161.42

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
1. Town Officers' Salaries		$1,108.30
2. Town Officers' Expenses		481.90
3. Election and Registration Expenses		128.51
5. Expenses Town Hall and other Town Buildings		88.74
Protection of Persons and Property:		
6. Police Department, including Care of Tramps		40.02
7. Fire Department, including forest fires		219.27
8. Moth Extermination—Blister Rust		300.00
9. Bounties		108.00
Health:		
12. Vital Statistics		19.50
Highways and Bridges:		
15. Town Maintenance		
Summer	1,050.00	
Winter	4,715.01	
		7,204.01
16. Street Lighting and Sprinkling		300.19
Libraries:		
18. Libraries		21.30
Public Welfare:		
19. Old Age Assistance		719.02
20. Town Poor		302.98

Recreation:		
24. Parks and Monadnock Region	40.00	
25. Old Home Day	50.00	
Unclassified:		
29. Damages and Legal Expenses	59.84	
31. Taxes Bought by Bank Activities	1.55	
Interest:		
33. Paid on Temporary Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	92.92	
34. Paid on Long Term Notes	80.00	
Total Interest Payments		$172.92
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
37. Highways and Bridges—State Aid Construction, T. R. A.	664.50	
38. Highways and Bridges—Town Construction Insurance	377.88	
39. Water Works Construction, Well	739.92	
44. New Equipment, Truck and Snow Plow	2,835.62	
Total Outlay Payments		$4,617.92
Indebtedness:		
45. Payments on Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	$6,000.00	
46. Payments on Long Term Notes	250.00	
49. Payments to Trustees, Trust Fund	200.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		$6,450.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
52. Taxes Paid to County	$2,117.67	
54. Payments to School Districts	7,912.13	
Dog License Money	116.22	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		$8,028.35
Total Payments for all Purposes		$32,609.13
Cash on Hand December 31, 1947		5,552.29
Grand Total		$38,161.42

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
1. Town Hall. Lands and Buildings	$5,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	300.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	700.00
Furniture and Equipment	300.00
5. Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	2,000.00
Equipment	9,000.00
9. Schools, Lands and Buildings	2,000.00
Equipment	1,000.00
Total	$20,300.00

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date January 12, 1948.

ARTHUR O. ELLSWORTH
ERNEST JOHNSON
ROSCOE S. PUTNAM
Selectmen of Deering

MARGUERITE L. DUTTON
Treasurer

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Received:		
Taxes on 49 male dog licenses	$96.83	
Taxes on 11 female dog licenses	55.00	
		$151.83
Less clerk's fees on 60 licenses	$12.00	
Less amount paid for tags	4.39	
		$16.39
Paid Town Treasurer		$135.44
Received:		
Taxes on 2 Auto Permits (1946)	$1.00	
Taxes on 189 Auto Permits (1947)	596.38	
Taxes on 1 Auto Permit (1948)	14.10	
Paid Town Treasurer		$611.48

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE L. DUTTON

Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1947

Assessment	$18,845.52	
Added Poll Taxes	2.00	
Added Property Taxes	1.90	
Interest	1.80	
		$18,851.22
Paid Town Treasurer	$17,816.68	
Abatements	29.64	
Interest	1.80	
Uncollected Poll Taxes	74.00	
Uncollected Property Taxes	929.10	
		$18,851.22
Other sums paid Treasurer:		
1946 Property Taxes	189.84	
1946 Poll Taxes	6.00	
1946 Interest	15.75	
		$211.59

JOSEPH M. CAREW
Tax Collector

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER
Receipts During Year 1947

First National Bank of Hillsboro:	
In Anticipation of Taxes	$6,000.00
State Treasurer:	
Gas Tax	3,154.20
Reimbursement of loss of Taxes	14.59
Bounties	66.00
Savings Bank Tax	48.31
Railroad Tax	19.77
Interest and Dividend Tax	641.40
Old Age Assistance Refund	2.75
Selectmen:	
Balance from sale of Tractor	100.00
Telephone Tolls	6.03
Refund of Hospital Bill	123.50
Poll Tax	2.00
Eaton and Barnes, Trust Fund	200.00
Insurance Refund	7.12
Town Clerk:	
Dog Taxes	135.44
Auto Taxes	611.48
C. P. McNally	
Back Taxes	637.06
Joseph M. Carew.	
1947 Property Taxes	17,512.68
1947 Poll Taxes	304.00
1947 Interest	1.80
Abatements	29.64
1946 Property Taxes	189.84
1946 Poll Taxes	6.00
1946 Interest	15.75
Total	$29,829.36
Brought forward January 1, 1947	8,332.06
Total Receipts	$38,161.42
Less Payments on Selectmen's orders	32,609.13
Balance on hand December 31, 1947	$5,552.29

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE L. DUTTON

Town Treasurer

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Ernest Johnson, Selectman	$213.60
Roscoe S. Putnam	123.00
Arthur O .Ellsworth	198.00
Winniatt K. Griffiths	26.40
Arthur O. Ellsworth, Overseer of Poor	25.00
Joseph M. Carew, Tax Collector	175.00
Marguerite L. Dutton, Town Clerk and Treasurer	180.75
Marguerite L. Dutton, Auto Permits	89.25
Mrs. E. W. Colburn, Librarian, West Deering	5.00
Marjorie A. Holden, Auditor	1.50
Eunice E. Willgeroth, Auditor	1.50
Gladys Ellsworth, Librarian	69.30
	$1,108.30

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Ernest Johnson, Mileage and Supplies	$36.97
Arthur O. Ellsworth, Postage	2.70
Braham Printing Co., Acc't Book	2.00
Marguerite L. Dutton, Clerk and Treasurer Supplies	10.50
Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., Toll Calls	17.27
Chester P. McNally, Tax Sale Expense	34.42
Gladys Ellsworth, Wood 2 yrs., other library expenses	25.30
Chester M. Durrell, Transportation	8.00
Messenger Publishing Co., Reports and Ballots	233.50
N. H. Association of Assessors, Dues	2.00
Joseph M. Carew, Tax Collector's Expense	18-12
Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	11.60
Donat Corriveau, Deeds	12.02
Wilfred J. Boisclair	.50
Mansfield Ins. Agency, Bonds for Town Officers	60.00
Sargent Brothers, Tax Bills	7.00
	$481.90

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Marjorie A. Holden, Auditor	$12.09
Eunice E. Willgeroth	12.82
Arnold Ellsworth, Supervisor	24.00
Chester M. Durrell, Supervisor	24.00
Robert Lawson, Supervisor	19.20
William J. Dumais, Police	4.80
Gladys Ellsworth, Ballot Clerk	12.00
Mary K. Griffiths, Ballot Clerk	4.80
Louis J. Fisher, Ballott Clerk	4.80
Carlton M. Sherwood, Moderator	10.00
	$128.51

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Public Service Co. of N. H., Lights	$37.80
Ernest Johnson, Labor on Toilets and Fuel	18.80
Arthur O. Ellsworth, Cleaning Hall	2.40
Winniatt K. Griffiths, Mowing Common	6.00
Ruth Lawson, Cleaning Hall	6.40
Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Cleaning Hall	6.40
W. H. Marchand, Plumbing	10.94
	$88.74

POLICE

William J. Dumais	$40.02

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Hillsboro Fire Department, Durrell, Carew and A. McNally fires	$135.25
Rodney L. Gilbert, A. McNally fire	72.90
Everett H. Abbott, Patroling	11.12
	$219.27

BOUNTIES

Mrs. Marguerite L. Dutton, paid out	$3.50
Ernest Johnson, paid out	50.50
Roscoe S. Putnam, paid out	8.50
Arthur O. Ellsworth, paid out	45.50
	$108.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Marguerite L. Dutton, Recording		$19.00

BLISTER RUST CONTROL

State of New Hampshire		$300.00

ROADS — TOWN MAINTENANCE

Howard E. Whitney, Winter money	$3,665.01	
W. K. Griffiths, Winter money	1,050.00	
		$4,715.01
W. K. Griffiths, Summer money		2,489.00
		$7,204.01

STREET LIGHTS

Public Service Co., of N. H.	$300.19

LIBRARIES

Charlotte K. Holmes, Treasurer	$21.30

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	$719.02

TOWN POOR

Sands' Store, Goods for Town Poor	$302.98

RECREATION

Arthur O. Ellsworth, Treasurer of Old Home Day Committee	$50.00
Karl Upton, Treasurer of Monadnock Region	40.00
	$90.00

WATER WORKS

Robert J. Robertson, Digging Well	$663.75
Ernest Johnson, Labor	28.80
Hillsboro Feed Co., Cement	13.05
George Griffiths, Labor	9.60
Orvis Fisher, Labor	16.80
J. A. Fleming and Son, Lumber	7.92
	$739.92

UNCLASSIFIED

Dr. Campbell, Damages to Car	$59.84
Joseph M. Carew, Tax Collector, Abatements	29.64
Mabel R. Wood, Trustee of Trust Funds	200.00
First National Bank of Hillsboro Activities	1.55
	$291.03

INSURANCE

Mansfield Ins. Agency, on both Ford truck and Garage	$279.85
Farm Bureau Insurance Co., Town House	44.75
Ralph G. Smith Agency, Insurance on Library Books and Tractor	50.40
First National Bank of Hillsboro, Check Book	2.88
	$377.88

INTEREST

First National Bank of Hillsboro, Interest P. W. A. Bond	$80.00
First National Bank of Hillsboro, Short Term Notes	92.92
	$172.92

TOWN ROAD AID

State of New Hampshire	$664.50

NEW EQUIPMENT

William H. Roach, Ford Truck	$2,415.62
Nobel-Belisle Machine Co., Snow Plow	420.00
	$2,835.62

TEMPORARY LOANS

First National Bank, Short Term Notes	$6,000.00

LONG TERM NOTES

First National Bank of Hillsboro, P. W. A. Bond	$250.00

COUNTY PAYMENTS

Arthur O. Phaneuf, County Treasurer, 1947 County Tax	$2,117.67

SCHOOLS

Marguerite L. Dutton, School Treasurer	$7,912.13
Marguerite L. Dutton, School Treasurer, Balance of 1947 Dog Money	116.22
	$8,028.35

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT FOR 1947

Labor and Expense
(Howard E. Whitney)

JANUARY

Howard E. Whitney	$205.50
Albert Johnson	42.00
Robert Johnson	18.00
Thomas Corliss	27.00
Orvis Fisher	141.60
Chester Durrell, Truck	190.00
Carroll Greene	89.60
Bernie Pierce	22.20
Grover Clark	8.40
Everett Abbott	9.60
W. K. Griffiths	10.80
Richard Putnam	12.60
Wallace Weaver	33.60
Bernie Weaver	24.00
Howard Whitney, Jr.	14.40
	$849.30

FEBRUARY

Howard E. Whitney	$129.42
Bernie Pierce	27.00
Albert Johnson	38.40
Chester Durrell, Truck	90.00
Orvis Fisher	96.00
Carroll Greene	94.00
Howard Whitney, Jr.	8.40
Hobart Kiblin	15.50
Ernest Putnam	19.20
Edward Kiblin	14.90
Richard Putnam	12.00
Stuart Cooper	3.00
	$547.82

MARCH

Howard E. Whitney	$54.00
Ralph Adams	27.00
Albert Johnson	21.60
Bernie Pierce	16.20
George Putnam	9.60
Carroll Greene	62.50
Chester Durrell, Truck	159.68
John Powell	4.80
Carlton Chamberlin	9.60
Willis McClintock	13.50
Orvis Fisher	33.60
Valley View Farms, Tractor work	304.10
Grover Clark	7.20
Richard Putnam	10.20
Fred Adams	15.60
Stuart Cooper	3.60
Ernest Putnam	9.60
William Putnam	12.00
	$774.38

(W. K. Griffiths)

MARCH

W. K. Griffiths	$65.00
Orvis Fisher	54.40
	$119.40

APRIL

W. K. Griffiths	$151.00
Orvis Fisher	113.60
George Griffiths	80.00
Robert McAlister	52.00
Richard Carew	16.00
Arnold Ellsworth	15.20
	$427.80

MAY

W. K. Griffiths	$134.00
Orvis Fisher	105.60
George Griffiths	85.60
Arnold Ellsworth	50.40
	$375.60

JUNE

W. K. Griffiths	$95.00
Orvis Fisher	90.40
George Griffiths	84.00
Thomas Carew	41.60
	$311.00

JULY

W. K. Griffiths	$19.00
Orvis Fisher	31.20
George Griffiths	31.20
Carroll Greene	5.00
Hobart Kiblin	15.50
	$101.90

AUGUST

W. K. Griffiths	$28.00
Orvis Fisher	22.40
George Griffiths	22.40
	$72.80

OCTOBER

W. K. Griffiths	$8.00
Orvis Fisher	16.80
George Griffiths	16.80
	$41.60

NOVEMBER

W. K. Griffiths	$40.00
Orvis Fisher	92.80
George Griffiths	14.40
E. Johnson	6.40
Carroll Greene	45.93
Arnold Ellsworth	19.20
	$218.73

DECEMBER

W. K. Griffiths	$314.00

Orvis Fisher	164.00
Arnold Ellsworth	67.20
Carroll Greene	38.40
Richard Griffiths	57.60
Walter Dutton	12.00
Frank Griffiths	8.00
H. Whitney, Jr.	3.20
George Griffiths	38.40
J. Griffiths	12.00
	$714.80

GENERAL EXPENSES

JANUARY

Curtis Rowe, Bulldozer	$60.00
South Western Express	.75
Charles Savage, Gas	6.36
J. B. Vaillancourt, Gas and Oil	114.86
Sterling's Esso Service, 4 new tires and tubes, 1 battery, 6 gallons Zerone	406.50
Mack Motor Truck Co., Axel	14.54
Bill's Auto, Welding and labor	81.57
	$684.58

FEBRUARY

Hedge and Matthals, Snow plow edges	$25.20
Sterling's Esso Service, Truck tire chains	85.64
Mack Motor Truck Co., Repairs on truck	181.53
H. C. Hazelton, Co., Grader blade and parts	15.59
Cassillini Venable Co., Wing braces, blades, grosers for tractor plow	230.93
	$538.89

MARCH

Charles Savage, Gas	$3.60
John Herrick, Sand	24.00
Files and O'Keefe Co., Grader blade	11.63
Halladay's Store, Spikes, Bulbs, Bolts	11.13
William Dumais, Gas pipe elbow	.75
J. B. Vaillancourt, Gas	81.90
Noble Belisle Mach. Co., Cutting edges, wire rope, truck cross chains, 2 tow chains	70.89
Bill's Auto Service, Repairs on truck lights, repairs on truck brakes, axel, labor	44.95
Lydia Wilson, Gravel	2.85
Howard E. Whitney, Stone drag head, grinding wheel, Bank charges	15.00
	$266.70

APRIL

J. B. Vaillancourt, Gas and oil	$107.12
Smith's Garage, Work on Mack	6.70
Bill's Auto Service, Parts and labor on Ford	8.50
John Herrick, Gravel	19.00
	$141.32

MAY

Northeastern Pet Co., Gear oil	$59.82
E. C. Beard, Bolts and link	1.30
Lydia Wilson, Gravel	7.50
Bank Book and Charges	3.15
	$71.77

JUNE

Smith's Garage, Parts and labor on Mack	$51.85
Bill's Auto Service, Parts and labor on Ford	1.75
Earl Beard, Spikes and Express	21.67
J. B. Vaillancourt, Gas	96.75
Ray Road Machine Co., Snow plow blades and bolts	40.80
Bank Charges	1.45
	$214.27

JULY

Bank Charge	$1.05
E. C. Beard, Bolts	2.40
Halladay's Store, Nuts, bolts and washers	3.08
W. Griffiths, Car mileage and postage, April, May and June	5.49
	$12.02

AUGUST

Ray Road Machine Co., Snow plow blade and bolts	$36.20
Meli-Blumberg Corp., Grader parts	20.66
	$56.86

OCTOBER

J. A. Fleming and Son, Bridge plank	$195.24
Halladay's Store, Bush cutter	6.00
Northeastern Pet Co., Motor oil	57.75
Smith's Garage, Parts, labor on Mack truck and grader	31.45
W. Griffiths, Postage and car mileage	5.40
Hillsboro Plumbing Co., Fillings	2.25
J. B. Vaillancourt, Gas	77.90
	$375.99

NOVEMBER

Carroll Greene, Gas can, hose and wrench	$11.69
	$11.69

DECEMBER

W. K. Griffiths, Welding supplies, steel and fittings	$20.71
J. B. Vaillancourt, Gas	108.63
Halladay's Store, Bolts, flashlight and batteries	3.18
Ray Road Machine Co., Snow fence and parts	43.84
Bill's Auto Service	2.24
Smith's Garage, Work on Mack	22.80
Carroll Greene, Truck chains and parts	45.27
Bank Charges	3.85
	$250.52

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

ASSETS

Jan. 1, 1947 Deficit	$1.34
Received from Selectmen	3,665.01
Total Assets	$3,663.67

LIABILITIES

Labor Expense	$2,171.50
General Expense	1,490.17
Bank Charges	4.20
March 1 Deficit	2.20
Total	$3,663.67

HOWARD E. WHITNEY
Road Agent

Receipts	$3,539.00
Labor Expense	$2,383.83
General Expense	1,134.94
	$3,518.77
Balance Jan. 1, 1948	$20.23

W. K. GRIFFITHS
Road Agent

T. R. A. REPORT

January 1 balance	$.13
Received from State	3,401.63
Raised by Town of Deering	664.50
	$4,066.26

Expenditures

Culverts	$108.53
Gravel	208.60
H. W. Garage	6.80
Gas Shovel and trucks	1,461.60
Tractor cutting brush	513.00
Labor	$1,767.50
Unused balance	.23
TOTAL	$4,066.03

REPORT OF LIBRARY FUNDS

Receipts

January 19, 1947, Balance from 1946		$65.06
January 7, 1948, Taxes 1947		$21.30

Expenditures

June 2, 1947, Paid for books	$29.04	
October 28, 1947, Goodman's Book Store	2.25	
		$31,29
January 20, 1948, Cash on hand		$55.07

CHARLOTTE K. HOLMES
Treasurer

AUDITORS' REPORT

This certifies that we have examined the accounts for the fiscal year 1947 of the Selectmen, Tax Collector, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Road Agent, Overseer of the Poor, Trustees of the Trust Funds, and Library Treasurer and find them correct.

MARJORIE H. HOLDEN
EUNICE E. WILLGEROTH
Auditors

TRUST FUND ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance in Savings Bank, December 31, 1946		$878.15
Interest from all Funds		250.74
Total		$1,128.89

Expenditures

Paid School Treasurer		$41.14
Dickey fund	$20.84	
Tubbs fund	20.30	
H. D. Kiblin, mowing West Cemetery		17.60
W. P. and R. W. Wood, removing rubbish from 2 cemeteries		16.40
Arthur Ellsworth, mowing 4 cemeteries		86.00
Myron Ashby, mowing 4 cemeteries		16.80
Jos. Demars, mowing 4 cemeteries		23.75
W. P. Wood, mowing 4 cemeteries		41.20
Carl Lindstrom, mowing 4 cemeteries		41.60
A. O. Ellsworth, perpetual care		41.00
Wm. P. Wood, perpetual care		100.00
		$425.49
Balance interest in Banks, December 31, 1947		703.40
		$1,128.89

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Report of Trust Funds of the Town of Deering, N. H., on December 31, 1947

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS Purpose of Creation Name of Fund and Donor	How Invested As required by Chp. 51, Sec. 23, Revised Laws	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. of Income on hand at beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year
Sept. 18, 1918	H. J. W. & E. P. Gove, General Fund	Amos. Sav. Bank	$10,000.00	2%	$290.94	$102.90	$220.00	$173.84
April 1, 1913	Col. James F. Grimes, Cem. F (4 lot)	Amos. Sav. Bank	2,000.00	2%	246.14	22.46	52.00	216.60
Jan. 9, 1911	Betsy J. Blakslee, Cemetery Fund	Amos. Sav. Bank	100.00	2%	4.45	1.04	2.00	3.49
Sept. 21, 1914	Eveline M. Foster (Heath) Cem. F.	Amos. Sav. Bank	100.00	2%	8.23	1.08	2.00	7.31
Sept. 23, 1915	East Deering, Cemetery Fund	Amos. Sav. Bank	200.00	2%	24.77			24.77
Sept. 23, 1915	Calista J. Wilkins, Cem. F. (2 lot)	Amos. Sav. Bank	200.00	2%	6.51	2.06	6.00	2.57
April 9, 1913	Vienna D. Clement, Cemetery Fund	Amos. Sav. Bank	100.00	2%	5.01	1.05	2.50	3.56
May 9, 1910	Lydia J. Atwood, Cem. F. (2 lot)	Amos. Sav. Bank	100.00	2%	2.47	1.02	1.50	1.99
Feb. 12, 1912	C. R. Austin, Cemetery Fund (2 lot)	Amos. Sav. Bank	200.00	2%	7.71	2.07	4.00	5.78
Dec. 1, 1914	Franklin P. Goodall, School Fund	Amos. Sav. Bank	1,000.00	2%				
1855-1929	Desire Tubbs, School Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	1,000.00	2%		20.30	20.30	
1899-1929	Rachel Diskey, School Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	1,027.83	2%		20.84	20.84	
1920-1934	Faustina Otis Kenney, Cem. F. (2 lot)	Hills. Sav. Bank	200.00	2%	6.09	4.16	4.00	6.25
April 27, 1922	Mary A. Chase, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00	2%	2.21	2.05	2.00	2.26
Nov. 1, 1920	Charles A. Appleton, Cem. F.	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00	2%	8.67	2.18	2.00	8.85
Nov. 1, 1921	Mrs. J. H. Wallace, Cem. F. (2 lots)	Hills. Sav. Bank	200.00	2%	5.63	4.15	4.00	5.78
Nov. 1, 1921	Josephine M. Smith, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00	2%	5.39	2.10	2.00	5.49
April 14, 1925	Eliza D. Wilson, Cem. F. (2 lot)	Hills. Sav. Bank	200.00	2%	2.02	4.08	4.00	2.10

Feb. 1, 1926	Daniel D. Bailey, Cem. F. (2 lot)	Hills. Sav. Bank	150.00 2%	2.37	3.07	3.00	2.44
June 20, 1927	Lizzie M. Center, Cemetrey Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	5.40	2.11	2.00	5.51
March 27, 1927	Richard Clement, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	2.35	2.05	2.00	2.40
Aug. 25, 1928	Sarah A. White, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	500.00 2%	18.26	10.45	10.00	18.71
Nov. 30, 1928	C. Ida Tucker, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	2.31	2.05	2.00	2.36
July 2, 1929	Ella M. Abbott, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	3.28	2.07	2.00	3.35
Oct. 1, 1929	James S. Craine, Cem. F. (2 lot)	Hills. Sav. Bank	200.00 2%	1.47	4.05	4.00	1.52
June 30, 1931	Robert Carr, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	.72	2.01	2.00	.73
Sept. 2, 1931	Lorenzo Morse, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	1.28	2.03	2.00	1.31
June 3, 1933	John E. Loveren, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	1.07	2.03	2.00	1.10
Mar. 4, 1934	Ada C. Butterfield, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	4.30	2.09	2.00	4.39
Nov. 7, 1934	Henry Clay Brown, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	1.22	2.03	2.00	1.25
Mar. 6, 1935	Edward Fulton, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	.57	2.01	2.00	.58
Oct. 26, 1940	Mr. and Mrs. Mendal Codman, C. F.	Hills. Sav. Bank	200.00 2%	4.68	4.12	4.00	4.80
Oct. 19, 1944	Susan F. Forsaith, C. F. (2 lot)	Hills. Sav. Bank	300.00 2%	3.88	6.12	6.00	4.00
Oct. 19, 1944	Charles W. Forsaith, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	200.00 2%	3.26	4.09	4.00	3.35
Jan. 8, 1945	Harry D. & Edith M. Locke, C. F.	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%	5.81	2.13	2.00	5.94
Feb. 13, 1947	Benson Bowles, Cemetery Fund	Hills. Sav. Bank	100.00 2%				
	General Int. Fund (Gove) No. 7764	Hills. Sav. Bank		189.68	2.69	23.35	169.02
				$878.15	$250.74	$425.49	$703.40

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CHARLOTTE K. HOLMES
GLADYS A. ELLSWORTH
MABEL R. WOOD

Trustees

SCHOOL REPORTS

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

School Board: Chairman, Kenneth F. Fales; Clara Rich, Mabel Reidt.
Superintendent: Stewart V. McCormack.
Teacher: Miss Margaret Milliken.
School Nurse: Mrs. Mary Griffin, R. N.

GENERAL REPORT

With great pleasure at thoughts of the fine cooperation in Deering during the past two years, I herewith submit my third annual report.

It has been well said that only through thoughtful, organized, intelligent, and continuous discussion by the community can the purposes of a school or educational program be kept alive and vital. Usually when purposes are weak or wrong, it is because they have not been weighed and measured in the light of modern needs. They may be merely the result of accident or tradition rather than of careful thought. However, the determination of purpose is of no avail as they live in the minds of people and affect people's thoughts and actions, so that these purposes have meaning.

It is by no accident that Deering has a much more suitable method of school transportation. Your School Board spent many extra hours of work in getting the program working after your enthusiastic demands for something better at the last annual meeting. The two buses are doing a remarkable job at considerable saving to the district. It would be a great untruth, however, to say that the road conditions in Deering are acceptable. They are a hindrance to all desireable economic development of the town. Anyone interested in the future of Deering can easily foresee the drastic necessity for an immediate over-all road program. This of course would help our problem of transportation.

The East Deering school is being operated at about capacity. Miss Milliken is doing a commendable job under very adverse physical conditions. She has had wonderful cooperation from everyone-but the heating and plumbing

facilities belong in another era long since gone by. Not being able to find any excuse for such intolerable conditions, we have found it necessary to install a well, and new heating arrangements and are in the process of getting new plumbing installed. Parents have every right in objecting to such conditions. We anticipate better health among pupils when the corrections are made.

Carrying out orders of the special meeting of August 1946, we have completed the sale of the Pond School House and also the North School House. It now appears that the District owns the Library building and carries insurance on it. Since the building should never again be used for school, we have asked that it be given to the Library Association so that they will be responsible for it.

Investigation of the insurance program has caused us to revise that, so that we now have, $5000 fire insurance on the East Deering schoolhouse and $1,500 on its contents. Also $2,000 on the West Deering schoolhouse. The new program has been written so that the payments will be the same each year.

Most important increase in the proposed budget is that for tuitions for pupils who must attend other schools. We estimate that high school tuitions may run at least to $150 for next year and elementary to $100. These are heavy increases but the change is universal.

There is a movement afoot to form a cooperative secondary school board somewhere in this area and your warrant provides you an opportunity to participate. Since Deering has long felt a need for a part in the administration of a high school attended by its boys and girls, we feel that there is everything to be gained by participating.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the voters of Deering who have provided such progressive educational leadership to the community in the personnel of the School Board. They have been most helpful in anticipating the needs of pupils and parents in the educational program.

Respectfully submitted,

STEWART V. McCORMACK,

Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To Mr. Stewart V. McCormack, Superintendent of Schools, the following is the report of the school work from January 1947 to January, 1948. Which includes the report of my predecessor Miss Harris, R. N.

Number of pupils examined	35
Number of defective teeth	19
Number of defective vision	3
Number of enlarged tonsils	4
Number of defective hearing	0
Number of skin disease	4
Number of pediculosis	2
Defects corrected—	
Number of defective vision	1
Number of pediculosis	2
Number of skin disease	4
The Audiometer was used in June to test the hearing.	
Number tested	16
Recapitulation	
Number of school visits	13
Number of home visits	8
Number of class room inspections	7

I wish to thank the Superintendent of Schools, School Board, Teachers, Pupils and Parents for their support and cooperation in the health work.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY GRIFFIN, R. N.

School Nurse

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1946 and Ending June 30, 1947

Receipts

State and Federal Aid:		
Equalization and General Aid		$3,368.70
Income from Local Taxation:		
Support of schools, tuition, salaries debt and interest and other statutory obligations	$5,347.87	
Special appropriations	2,000.00	
Balance of previous appropriations	952.13	
Total		$8,300.00
From Sources other than Taxation:		
Dog licenses	159.64	
Income from local trust funds	61.08	
Sale of property	5.00	
Other receipts	.99	
Total		$226.71
Total receipts from all sources		$11,895.41
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1946		$71.31
Grand total		$11,966.72

Payments

Administration:	
Salaries of district officers	$213.55
Superintendent's excess salary	57.31
Tax for state wide supervision	152.00
Expenses of administration	41.27
Instruction:	
Principals' and teachers' salaries	$1,627.00
Text books	29.69
Scholars' supplies	176.47
Supplies, flags, and other expenses	7.0
Operation of School Plant:	
Janitors' salaries	$121.60
Fuel or heat	118.50
Water, light, janitors' supplies	24.7
Repairs and replacements	46
Auxiliary Activities:	
Health supervision	$116.4
Transportation of pupils	4,875.00
High School tuitions	2,200.00
Elementary School tuitions	1,87
Total payments for all purposes	$11,631.
Cash on hand, June 30, 1947	$285.17
Grand total	$11,96

BALANCE SHEET

Assets, June 30, 1947

Cash on hand	$285.17
Accounts due to district from town	1,112.13
Total assets	$1,397.30
Grand total	$1,397.30

Liabilities, June 30, 1947

Surplus	$1,397.30
Grand total	$1,397.30

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

STEWART V. McCORMACK
Superintendent

KENNETH F. FALES
CLARA RICH
MABEL REIDT
School Board

July 15 1947

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1947

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1946		$71.31
Received from Selectmen:		
Appropriations for current year	$7,347.87	
Balance of previous appropriation	952.13	
Dog tax	159.64	
Income from trust funds	61.08	
Income from State Treasurer	3,368.70	
Received from all other sources	5.99	
Total		$11,895.41
Total amount available for fiscal year		$11,966.72
Less School Board orders paid		$11,681.55
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1947		$285.17

MARGUERITE L. DUTTON
District Treasurer

July 7, 1947

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Deering of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

EUNICE E. WILLGEROTH
MARJORIE R. HOLDEN
Auditors

July 18, 1947

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

August Selectmen, 1945 appropriation	$500.00
September Selectmen, 1945 appropriation	452.13
September Selectmen, 1496 appropriation	47.87
October Selectmen, 1946 appropriation	1,000.00
November Selectmen, 1946 appropriation	2,000.00
December Selectmen, Dog taxes	159.64
January Trustees of Trust Funds, Interest	61.08
February Scott, Forseman and Company, refund on overdraft	.99
March Selectmen, 1946 appropriation	500.00
April Selectmen, 1946 appropriation	500.00
May Selectmen, 1946 appropriation	3000.00
May School Board, Sale of Benches	5.00
June Selectmen, 1946 appropriation	300.00
Cash on hand July 1, 1946	71.31
Total Receipts During Year	$11,966.72

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Deering, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947 and find them correct in all respects.

EUNICE E. WILLGEROTH
MARJORIE A. HOLDEN
Auditors.

July 18, 1947

PROPOSED BUDGET

DEERING SCHOOL DISTRICT

1948—1949

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools:		
Teacher's Salary	$2,030.00	
Textbooks	90.00	
Scholar Supplies	125.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	5.00	
Other Expenses of Instruction	75.00	
Janitor Service	180.00	
Fuel	120.00	
Water, Lights and Janitor Supplies	100.00	
Repairs and Replacements	400.00	
Health Supervision	250.00	
Transportation of Pupils	3,700.00	
Tuitions—Elementary	2,800.00	
Other Special Activities	50.00	
Total For Support of Schools		$9,925.00
Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of District Officers	$325.00	
Truant Officer and School Census	15.00	
Superintendent's Salary (Dist. Share)	72.00	
Per Capita Tax	164.00	
Expenses of Administration	40.00	
Insurance and State Retirement Charges	205.00	
High School Tuitions	4,000.00	
Total For Statutory Requirements		$4,821.00
Total amount required to meet School Board's budget		$14,746.00

Estimated Income

Other Than Local Taxation:		
Income from Trust Funds	$60.00	
Proceeds from Dog licenses	100.00	
Estimated State Aid	3,950.00	
Total Estimated Income		$4,110.00
Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriations		$10,636.00
Total Estimated Income		$14,746.00

KENNETH F. FALES
CLARA RICH
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School Board

January 31, 1948

VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages Registered in the Town of Deering for the Year ending December 31, 1947.

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Yrs.	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Single or Widowed and What Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
Jan. 1, 1946	Charles C. Williams	40	N	Farmer	Oak Park, Va.	John T. Williams	2nd	
Deering	Deering					Alma A. Carpenter		Arthur O. Ellsworth,
	Bernice H. Whitney	28	W	Textile	Warner, N. H.	George H. Bumfrod	2nd	J. P., Deering
	Hillsboro			Worker		Bertha McDowell		
April 9, '47	Floyd B. Jones	17	W	Bus driver	Boston, Mass.	Barnard Jones	1st	
	Hillsboro					Ruth Emery		Charles H. Tucker
Henniker	Joan T. Howoy	18	W	At Home	Deering	Joseph Howoy	1st	J. P., Henniker
	Deering					Mary Grymski		
April 27	Chellis C. Edwards	19	W	Mill Em-	Hillsboro	George H. Edwards	1st	
	Deering			ploye		Florence Murdough		Milo Farmer
Deering	Anna M. Putnam	18	W	At Home	Manchester	Wendell D. Putnam	1st	Hillsboro
	Deering					Myrtie A. Davis		
July 12	Roland Cote	23	W	U S Navy	Deering	Ludger Cote	1st	
	Deering					Marie Laferriere		Francis J. Lawlor
Norwichton	Frances L. Majewski	18	W	Tele-	Norwich, Conn.	Alexander Majewski	1st	Norwich, Conn.
Conn.	Norwich, Conn.			phone Op		Laura Suosky		

July 12	William R. Cuddihee Sharon, N. H.	24	W	Electrician	Sharon	James W. Cuddihee Chloe M. Cook	1st	Charles E. Reidt Deering
Deering	Eva E. Putnam Peterboro, N. H.	24	W	Clerk	Deering	Mary G. St. John George W. Putnam	1st	
Aug. 29	Harry J. Putnam Deering	40	W	Carpenter-Mech.	Francestown	William A. Putnam Rebecca R. George	1st	Harold M. Frye Wilton
Wilton	Ellen J. Chapman Wilton, N. H.	29	W	Sec-Bookkeeper	Pottsville, Pa.	Douglas Chapman Ellen A. Morgan	1st	
Oct. 11	Robert L. Putnam Deering	21	W	Herdsman	Deering	Arthur Kittinan Alice A. Putnam	1st	Whitney S. K. Yeaple Deering
Deering	Lucia E. Lafond Weare, N. H.	17	W	At Home	Francestown	William E. Lafond Nellie M. Parker	1st	

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Deering, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1947

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Sex	Age Years	Age Months	Age Days	Place of Birth	Color	Single Married or Widowed	Occupation	Place of Birth Father and Mother	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 26 Hillsboro	Anna A. Janowsky	F	85	11	16	Germany	All White	Married	Housewife	Halifax, Vt.	Charles Scott
Jan. 27 Deering	Emma E. Herrick	F	82	6	0	N Troy, Vt.	All White	Married	Housewife	W. Halifax, Vt.	Hannah Grant
March 3 Hillsboro	William D. Nichols	M	70	7	14	Hillsboro	All White	Single	Machinist	Hillsboro Henniker	George A Nichols Nancy Hemphill
March 5 Deering	Ruth C. Gray	F	31	11	5	W. Rumney	All White	Married	Housewife	Wentworth, N H Lisbon, NH	Harry Colburn Mildred Messer
April 28 Hillsboro	Effie J. Weeks	F	77	5	6	N. Sutton	All White	Widowed	Housewife	Sutton	James H. Morrill Eliza Sleeper
May 19 Hillsboro	Lusca R. Abbott	F	80	10	15	Derby L. Vt	All White	Widowed	At Home	Vermont So. Carolina	Will Kingsbury Mary Cahoon
April 2 Deering	Arthur H. Jacques	M	74	1	22	Nova Scotia	All White	Married	Farmer	Nova Scotia Nova Scotia	Charles Jacques A. MacMillan
Hillsboro May 28	Margaret L. White	F	86	7	24	Deering	All White	Widowed	At Home	Deering Deering	Alvah Gould Eliza J. White
July 6 Hillsboro	Nellie L. Muir	F	53	2	2	Hyde. Pk, M	All White	Married	Housewife	Scotland Scotland	Thomas Potts Bessie Laidlow

Aug. 31										N. H.	Greenleaf Stevens
Windsor	William D. Stevens	M	87	3	24	Orange,NH		Married	Farmer	Morley, N. Y.	Lydia Kingsley
Nov. 7										Sweden	Carl J. Johnson
Hillsboro	Mary C. Johnson	F	65	7	7	Lowell Mass		Single	At Home	Sweden	Bertha Alforks
Dec. 22										Lyndeboro, N.H.	Levi Putnam
Deering	Sewel C. Putnam	M	65	6	27	Francestown		Married	Lumber Op.		Louisa Colby
Feb. 2											
Goffstown	Clarence G. Wiley	M	79	7	11	Hillsboro		Single	Retired	Hillsboro	Mary Ann Roach
May 3										Nova Scotia	William Parker
Concord	Ralph Parker	M	68	5	26		All White	Married		Nova Scotia	Agnes Ryden
Oct. 28										Canada	Thomas Laurette
Goffstown	Helen M. Lower	F	43	11	10	Eastport, Me.		Married	Housewife	Canada	Margaret Conney
Nov. 6										Hillsboro	Orlando Burtt
Concord	Myrtie M. Burtt	F	76	2	25	ConcordNH		Single	At Home	Hillsboro	Eleanor Potter
Dec. 13										Sweden	Carl J. Johnson
Concord	Carl Johnson	M	61			Hillsboro		Single	Real Estate	Sweden	Bertha Alforks
March 1											
Hillsboro	Phyllis Jordan	F	0	2	27						

April 28								
Hillsboro	Susie H. Spalding	F	74	4	13			
May 7								
Concord	Baby Webber	F	0	0	0			
March 12								
Easton, Md.	Henry A. Farley	M	61					
Nov. 2								
Henniker	Lilliam K. Bush	F	82	4	11			
Nov. 23								
New Boston	Lyman J. Smith	M	83	5	23			

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Births Registered in the Town of Deering for the Year ending December 31, 1947.

Date and Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Liv. or St'b	No. of Child	Col. of Child	Name of Father and Maiden name of Mother	Col. of Pa.	Residence of Parents and Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father & Mother
Jan. 15, 1946						Albert S. Johnson		Deering	Weare, N. H.
Deering	Mary Ellen Johnson	F	L	4		Laura Mae Aiken		Deering	Templeton, Mass.
Mar. 28, 1947						Robert Lawson		Deering	Scotland
Henniker	Charlotte Alma Lawson	F	L	5		Ruth E. Davy		Deering	Deering
July 12,						Floyd B. Jones		Deering	Boston ,Mass.
Concord	Thomas Charles Jones	M	L	1	All White	Joan T. Howoy	All White	Deering	Deering
August 2						Du Vernett R. Weaver		Lumberman	Needham, Mass.
Henniker	Robert DuVernett Weaver	M	L	3		Ruth L. Rogers		Farmer	Needham, Mass.
August 28						Roscoe S. Putnam		Chauffeur	Deering
Henniker	James Clinton Putnam	M	L	3		Velma J. Pearson		Farmer	East Jaffrey, N H
October 24						Thomas G. Corliss		Sawyer	Meredith, N. H.
Concord	Thomas Gerard Corliss	M	L	2		Ruth L. Campbell		Lumberman	Alstead, N. H.

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